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PERSONAL

Mr. H. L. Tate is convalescent.
J. Fish went to the city Wednesday.

Bragg Thompson has returned to Garrard.

Frank Miller has returned to Lebanon, Ind.

Emmett Hansel is on the sick list this week.

Harry Chastain's infant died and was buried Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. George Hiatt went to Louisville Monday.

Mr. James O'Rear, Mt. Sterling, is here for a few days.

Conn Brown returned to C. U. at Danville Wednesday.

Mrs. W. J. Sparks made a trip to Lexington this week.

W. T. Houk, of Gum Sulphur, will sell out and go West.

Mr. and Mrs. B. J. Bethurum returned from St. Louis, Tuesday.

Mr. Azbill, of Berea, was mingling with our merchants Tuesday.

Dr. J. Harry Hendren, of Johnetta, was here a short time, Monday.

Spurgeon Smith returned to the Kentucky School for the Blind, Wednesday.

Charley McKenzie says the "World's Fair is a whopper." He just returned.

Andy Fish has the only known cross-eyed cat. Rats won't stay in a half mile of it.

Isaac Bowman has been hauling some immense locust logs to Whitehead's sawmill.

L. W. Bethurum and G. M. Ballard attended the convention at Nicholasville Wednesday.

Mrs. Maggie Grimes and mother, Mrs. Franklin, are visiting in Madison and Fayette counties.

Ap Taylor, Section foreman at Hazel Patch, was here Monday to meet with his Royal Arch brethren.

Messrs. Charles Bethurum and John D. Miller, L. & N. brakemen were at home a few days last week.

Mr. Victor Tate, of Mt. Vernon, was here Monday with the Crab Orchard band.—Burnside Commercial.

James Taylor, who carries the Wildie-Mt. Nernon star route mail, is still having trouble with an afflicted leg.

James Hix, who left this county about 16 years ago and located in Texas, is here on a visit to relatives and friends.

Dr. Myers, our dentist, is doing a good business at Brodhead Mondays and Tuesdays. His work gives satisfaction.

Dr. T. J. Price, of Level Green, has bought a farm near Flat Rock, Pulaski county. He will probably locate this fall.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Griffin, of Lebanon Junction, are visiting Mrs. Griffin's parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Cummins, at this place.

Mrs. W. M. Poynter started to Garrard last week, but was taken sick at Stanford and returned home where she has since recovered.

Mr. Tiller, of Barbourville, is here this week in the interest of his oil well machinery, which is being used on the Levisay farm.

Mrs. Serene Morgan and son, Josephus, of near Lancaster, was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. G. S. Hiatt, from Saturday until Monday.

Eugene Mullins writes that he is much pleased with his surroundings in New Mexico, where he recently went for his health. The good wishes of all are for his speedy restoration to health and a happy return to his old Kentucky home.

Misses Reba Baker, Fannie Sparks, Risse Williams and Alza Thompson, returned to their studies at Hamilton College, Lexington, Tuesday.

Mrs. Tom Adams, of Alabama, has been visiting relatives here. Mr. Adams is running a floating gang on the Knoxville, LaFollette and Jellico railroad.

Oscar Bostic has returned from 1907, Martin county, where he has finished up stone work on some of Krueger & Sons contracts and is now at work for that firm on the new bank building at Brodhead.

Miss Willie Belle Burnside has a large music class at Montecello. Many Mt. Vernon people remember little Willie Belle who was here with her mother who had charge of Music classes some 15 years ago.

Prof. F. S. Philips who has been a faithful manager for the Kentucky Freestone Co., at Langford for some years has been afflicted with hemorrhages of the lungs for several days last week on account of asthma. His many friends hope no serious consequences will occur.

The World's Fair claimed the following Mt. Vernon people this week: Mrs. F. L. Thompson and daughters, Misses Susie and Annie; Mrs. Dr. A. G. Lovell and daughter, Miss Lela May; Mrs. Geo. Gentry, Sr., and son, Tom; Editor Aldright his wife and mother accompanied by Miss Bertha Brock, of London.

LOCAL

Green beans would sell here if brought in.

First Jack Frost, Wednesday night, Sept. 14th.

There has been a fruit jar famine in this place for last four days.

Dr. M. L. Myers is having his residence treated to a good painting.

Oh, the dryness, ponds, wells, branches, etc. It is simply tough and no relief in sight.

Victor R. Beck and Dr. Solomon C. Davis has our thanks for a good supply of personals and locals.

The Town Hill is 500 feet higher than the railroad track and depot and is 1,613 feet above sea level.

Bring your LAUNDRY to S. W. Davis' store.

sept-9-31 CADLE & MILLER.

The stuffed hide of the biggest rattler ever killed in Rockcastle can be seen in Franklin's jewelry store.

The New Livingston Coal Co. have begun shipments from their mines. The quality of coal is pronounced excellent.

Miss Taylor, the new principal, is having quite a lot of interior painting etc., done at the Boarding Hall and College, and all will be in readiness for the opening of the Fall term Monday.

WANTED.—A good white cook—single woman preferred.—Pay all right. Position permanent to the right person.

Joseph Price Hospital, Stanford, Ky.

aug. 9-41.

Many people don't stop to think that Cashier W. L. Richards is not known by name of Richardson, or that the county attorney spells his name B-e-t-h-u-r-u-m and not Ma-thurum. Now these errors occur often from inattention or some other reason, which is it?

W. J. Sparks and Dr. J. M. Williams are now running five ballast plants between Knoxville and Mt. Vernon. Mr. Sparks is kept so busy he just has time to say howdy-do and good-bye to his homefolks when he gets a chance to stop with them a few minutes.

We notice a number of our exchanges bragging on their good correspondents. There is no paper has a better corps of writers than the SIGNAL. They are right up to date, know a news item when they see it and won't allow it to escape. This paper is fortunate.

In this issue appears the announcement of P. H. Shotts as a candidate for Judge of the Rockcastle County Court. Mr. Shotts has all the qualities necessary to make a good officer, and should be the choice of the majority of the voters, in him would be found a fair and impartial court. He stands for improvements and should be elected, would at all times work for the best interest of the county and the people he represents.

Messrs. Guy Hudley, E. W. Gatliff, of Williamsburg, and Con Force of Shelbyville, left Saturday for Providence, R. I., where they will go aboard the Nautical Preparatory School Ship, "Pennsylvania" for a cruise of ten months. They will touch at many important points during their travels.

FOR SALE.—One horse, harness and spring wagon; fifty or sixty pairs Belgian hares; two bull pups about 8 months old—good ones. Also all kinds household specialties, such as roasters, bakers etc., which I have on hands since canvassing. Will sell at a sacrifice. J. P. LECHLEITER, sept-2-31. Mt. Vernon, Ky.

REGISTER.—By an act of last legislature all voters living in incorporated towns are required to register or they will not be able to vote in November election. The date of registration is October 4th. This law applies to three towns in Rockcastle: Mt. Vernon, Brodhead and Livingston. Better see to it that you don't lose your vote by failure to register.

"Dad sap the old Woggle Bug, I don't want no truck with it. I'm afraid of the blamed thing anyhow. If others want the \$250 from the Courier-Journal let 'em wade in and get it. Somebody will receive the chink but not yours truly," thus soliloquized our old friend G. Wash Baker, who had been clipping coupons for past ten days and gave up the job in disgust.

Well No. 1, of Mt. Vernon Development Co., is down to a depth of 550 feet. The driller, Joe Earl, and Mr. Tiller, the contractor, say they are confident of striking oil within the next three days. The well is located on farm of George Levisay 1 1/2 miles West of town. Gas from this well has been burning for several days. There is no doubt we are right in the oil belt and will get there Eli.

Krueger & Sons, those hustling "dutch" contractors closed a contract Monday, for building a house for the Bank of Brodhead, began work Tuesday and propose to have President Cherry and his officials installed and at work receiving deposits and handing out loans, etc. at the earliest possible moment. Brodhead simply gets there Eli and Krueger is on the dot to do the building.

Nathan D. Miles, of Nicholasville, was nominated by the republicans for Congress from 8th district. Mr. Miles is a lawyer of note living in Nicholasville, and will no doubt make a good fight in the race to worry Gilbert as much as he can. Mr. Miles will speak at Mt. Vernon on Monday, Sept. 19th, at 1 o'clock p. m., when he will tell the boys why he should do a plenty for Gilbert. What Gilbert will do for the good brother comes later on after the votes are counted, and "such is life."

S. C. Franklin, jeweler has in his possession the first "stick full" of type set on a linotype machine in Lexington. It was made by Mr. Franklin who set up the machine. It was a "special" from Santiago de Cuba in 1890 when some of troubles were coming up to cause the war. The following item is printed from the same linotype work:

Santiago, Dec. 8.—A communication was sent to Minister Egan Saturday by the President of the Chamber of Deputies, requesting permission to serve citations on the refugees now in the American Legation against whom no indictments have lately been found by Congress. Mr. Egan wrote to Foreign Minister Mattu, asking him by what authority the President of the Chamber of Deputies sent such a communication to him. He said he didn't recognize the right of the President to communicate with him except through the foreign office. Senator Mattu apologized, but made a similar request to which Mr. Egan replied that the request was not admissible unless he received specific instructions from the United States government, as all from the were in the legation under extra territorial rights. A large number of arms are missing from the barracks here, and it is feared that some conspiracy is on foot.

Dr. George B. Lawrence, of this place, is having wonderful success in curing cancer. He learned a portion of the prescription from an old Indian doctor in Indian Territory years ago, and after careful study of the subject for some years, found the combination of proper ingredients for the absolute cure of this dreadful disease. He has not lost a case in his seven years cancer practice except where it was too far gone and the blood was so impregnated with the poison after years of suffering. He has cured patients in this county and State as well as other States, who will gladly testify to the fact of their deliverance from a living death. Dr. Lawrence has been raised up in the school whose ethics are against advertising. This article is written without solicitation simply to be of some benefit to suffering humanity.

LIVINGSTON

Champ Mullins, "the bad boy," has resigned as agent for the Lexington laundry and accepted a position as clerk in The Richmond Hotel at Richmond. We hope he will have success in his new undertaking, but he will be missed at home.—W. C. Swinford is now agent for the Lexington Laundry with Casper Adams as collector. The merry-go-round is here again. It is not necessary to make any remarks.

Dave Herrin, of Quail, was here last week, the guest of Jas. McGuire.—Mrs. Edward Shea and baby are visiting her mother, Mrs. P. J. Weddel of Cleveland, Ohio.—Misses Mattie McFerron and Minnie Nicely, of Hansford, were the guests of Mrs. W. J. Childress and Miss Georgia McFerron Saturday and Sunday.—Bart Sams returned from East Bernstadt Tuesday very much improved in health. He is at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Sams.

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Moore, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Westerfield, Mrs. J. S. Cooper and Miss Mary Marrs, enjoyed an outing at Gethsemane, Tuesday.—Mrs. Ewalt, of Paris, is visiting Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Dickson.—Miss Bessie Kayler, of Ivory Dale, O., is here visiting Miss Kittie Poynter.—Wm. Pike and family moved to Paris, Tuesday.—Miss Louise Canor, of East Bernstadt, and Miss Pearl Stanley, visited at Mrs. A. J. Sams' home last Sunday and had a delightful time.—Mrs. Rachel Towery and Miss Franc's DeBord, of Level Green, and Jack Towery were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Dee Bryant, the first of the week.

Mrs. Laura Proctor and daughter, of Wildie, was the guest of her sisters, Mesdames Hicks, Lucas and Salyers.—Mrs. Mahala Carson is spending a month with her daughter, Mrs. Martha Brown, at Quail.—Bert Whitehead, of the firm of Baker & Whitehead, was in Louisville last week buying goods.—Miss Mattie May Myers, of Mt. Vernon, was the guest of her aunt, Mrs. Brack Graves, Tuesday, while en route to Paris to visit Mrs. Claude Linville.—Mesdames Lucas and Salyers are visiting in Wildie.—Dr. W. J. Childress was called to Brush Creek, Tuesday, to see his mother, who is quite sick.—Mrs. L. M. Westerfield and children and sister, Miss Mary Marrs are visiting Mrs. Mose Elmore, at Stanford.—Mrs. Riggles and children, of Garrard county, have been the guests of Mesdames George Pope and Bert Whitehead.

Harry Magee has bought a lot on the south side and will build at once.—L. H. Davis has purchased the home of A. N. Bentley. Mr. Bentley will move to Louisville.—Mr. and Mrs. Egbert Hayes have moved back from Cincinnati and will make this their permanent home.—Mrs. W. J. Childress and children will visit Mrs. Houston McFerron at Pine Hill, the last of the week.—Mrs. Thos. Lasley returned home Tuesday from a visit in Louisville and Stanford.—Mrs. Woodie Strippie has returned after an extended visit in Lincoln county, and is with her sister, Mrs. J. R. Stuckey.—Born, to Mrs. Clarence Ferguson, a little son, Monday Sept. 12th, at the home of her parents Mr. and Mrs. Isaac Suttles at Mullins Station.—Mrs. Sarah Pettit is visiting relatives at London.—Wm. Mullins, better known as "Uncle Mod," of Crooked creek, was in town Saturday, the guest of W. C. Mullins.—Harry Orndorff and Willie Edith Tubbs are able to be out again after a seven weeks' seige of typhoid fever.—A little daughter, Erminia May, arrived at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Tubbs, Wednesday morning, Sept. 14th.—Mr. and Mrs. Phil Allin, who have been spending the heated term at their summer home near Lettered Rock, will leave for Louisville, Saturday.—Mrs. Henry Browning was quite sick the first of the week, with neuralgia.—Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Sutton, of Mt. Vernon, who were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ed Woodall, returned home Sunday.—There was a jolly crowd spent Saturday at Rice's Crossing, at the picnic given by the Baptist Sunday school. Everybody had a good time and had plenty to eat.

Saturday night at Webb church house, on Cats Fork, the Weights, Crabtrees, Daniels and Holbrooks became involved in a free-for-all fight in which Daniels was killed and Holbrook fatally hurt. No arrests made.

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COLLEGE NEWS.

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Three competent teachers will be in the Collegiate Department, one of whom will assist Miss Lyon.

Miss Anna M. Lyon, of La Grange, Ill., who has taught piano and stringed instruments in Milwaukee Conservatory, and preparatory work in one of the best schools in Wisconsin, for several years, will have charge of the Intermediate Department and the Music.

Miss Mary Anna Nicholas, of Shelbyville, Ky., who was graduated from the School of Education, Chicago University, in 1903, and who by experience and training is in touch with the district and graded schools of the State, will have the Primary Department. Miss Nicholas is a grand-daughter of Judge Nicholas for many years a trustee of Center College.

Fourteen boys and girls took the county scholarship examinations at the college last Saturday. Myrtle Bryant, having the highest percent won the place for the county at large; and Chester Landrum, Georgia Hayes, Bessie Reynolds, and Christopher Mullins will represent their respective districts.

MATRIMONIAL

MURPHY-NICELY.—Mr. Ted Harper and Miss Mary Nicely were married on the court house steps last Friday, Judge S. D. Lewis officiating.

VANHOOK-BIERS.—Mr. Joe Vanhook and Miss Martha Biers were married at the Miller House last Wednesday, Judge S. D. Lewis officiating.

John L. Sullivan, who has played out as a pugilist, has gone to St. Louis to run a saloon.

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